

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Please delete the sheet of drawings labeled 11/11 with Figs. 21-22, which had been added in the Amendment of July 23, 2007.

REMARKS

By the present amendment, the specification has been amended to replace the description of Figs. 18-22 by an identical description of Figs. 18-20 only, i.e., the description of Figs. 21-22 has been canceled.

Claims 19-20 have been canceled.

The drawings have been amended to cancel Figs. 21-22.

Claims 1-2, 5, 11-18, and 21 are pending in the present application.

In the Office Action, claims 19-20 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as lacking written description, and under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as indefinite.

Also, in the Office Action, Figs. 21-22 of the drawings are objected to.

By the present amendment, the Figures and newly added portions of the specification, to which the rejections and objections were directed, have been canceled. Accordingly, it is submitted that the rejections and objection should be withdrawn.

In conclusion, the invention as presently claimed is patentable. It is believed that the claims are in allowable condition and a notice to that effect is earnestly requested.

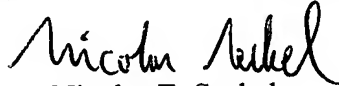
In the event there is, in the Examiner's opinion, any outstanding issue and such issue may be resolved by means of a telephone interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Response to Quayle Action
Application No. 10/509,700
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In the event this paper is not considered to be timely filed, the Applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of the response period. Please charge the fee for such extension and any other fees which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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